

The CAT takes the byte out of the Apple!

"The Cat™" — our new Apple II compatibility

Remember our famous System 80 personal computer? It became an Australian best seller — we sold an amazing 11,898 units. One of its big features was software compatibility with the Tandy TRS-80 — giving it access to a huge range of software.

Here's our exciting new Apple eating "CAT" personal colour computer. It's compatible with Apple II software, and it's got even more features than an expanded Apple IIe (the latest model). But the TAB on "TABBY" is less than HALF the cost of the Apple — so it makes an ideal pet for home or office!

Your CAT can have kittens, too — just look at the range of expansion modules available!



Personal Colour Computer for less than half the cost!

Incredible Software!

Although the internal architecture and ROM programs of our new CAT have a brand new design, great care has been taken to make them as compatible with Apple II software as the law will allow.

Even though the basic CAT will run a very large number of Apple II programs (including such famous programs as Visi Calc), by adding the optional Emulator cartridge (Cat X-7530) it will run virtually all* of the Apple II range of software — an enormous range of high-quality programs.

Specifications

CPU: 6502A running at 2MHz

ROM: 32K bytes containing 24K enhanced Microsoft BASIC, System Monitor program etc.

RAM: 64K bytes inbuilt, expandable to 192K bytes

KEYBOARD: 81 full-stroke keys; typewriter format plus numeric keypad, 4 cursor control keys, 8 programmable function keys with 24 predefined functions. Full upper and lower case entry.

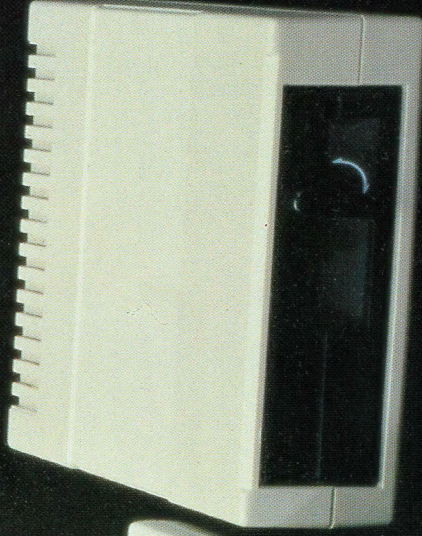
VIDEO: Both composite PAL and RGB colour video outputs inbuilt (optional TV modulator available). Both 80 x 24 and 40 x 24 text display modes inbuilt. Colour defeat switch for mono display.

GRAPHICS: Maximum colour graphics resolution is 560 x 192 pixels, individually addressable (twice the Apple II resolution).

SOUND: Four programmable sound channels, 6-octave note range. Inbuilt speaker with volume control.

INBUILT I/O FACILITIES: Cassette port, joystick port, Centronics-type printer port, Bus expansion interface, expansion cartridge socket connector for RS-232C serial adaptor.

Cat X-7500



And The CAT™ grows to fill your needs.

As you gain experience, your CAT Personal Computer can grow to match your needs. Whether you just want to add joysticks and an RF Modulator, or expand your system with twin floppy disk drives and an RS232 serial communications adaptor, the expansion and support components are all available — and at very attractive prices. You can have an expanded CAT for less than the price of a basic Apple IIe!

1. Dual Joysticks

These fast response joysticks each have dual FIRE buttons, and use pots for extremely high resolution. From a software point of view, one is functionally identical to the single Apple joystick.
Cat X-7520 **\$34.50**

2. Emulator Cartridge

Need the highest possible degree of Apple II compatibility? If so this Emulator is for you. Plug it in and your CAT will run virtually all* Apple II software.
Cat X-7530 **\$99.00**

3. RF Modulator

If you don't have a composite or RGB video monitor, this modulator lets you connect the CAT to a standard monochrome, or colour TV receiver. Works on Australian VHF channel 1.
Cat X-7550 **\$34.90**

4. Disk Controller

Built into a compact plug-in cartridge, this controller will operate either one or two X-7505 drives. Comes complete with a demo disk to get you going.
Cat X-7510 **\$149.00**

5. Disk Drive

Compact and powered from the CAT itself, this disk drive lets you store up to 140K bytes per 5-1/4 inch diskette. Comes complete with cable to connect to the X-7510 controller.
Cat X-7505 **\$349.00**

6. High Resolution RGB Monitor

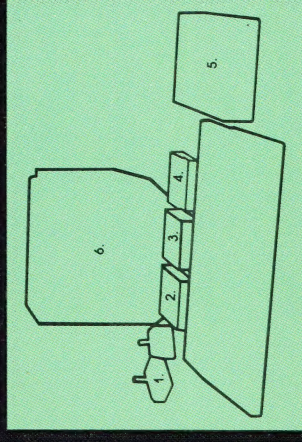
An RGB colour monitor gives the sharpest, brightest colour display possible. This high-resolution 30cm monitor lets you take full advantage of your CAT's 560 x 192 colour graphics and 80-column text features.
Cat X-1193 **\$599.00**

7. RS-232C Serial Adaptor

Plug this interface adaptor into the socket on the rear of your CAT and it can communicate with other computers or data terminals — either directly, or via a telephone modem. Operates at seven data rates, from 110-9600 baud.
Cat X-7515 **\$129.00**

8. Other Expansion Items

X-7512 Filer Utilities Disk complete with DOS and user manual (suits either CAT or Apple II) **\$39.00**
X-7540 Printer Cable suits most Centronics-type parallel printers. **\$39.00**
X-7560 RGB Colour Monitor Cable suits the Colour Video Monitor **\$39.00**
X-1220 High Resolution 30cm Green Screen Monitor may be used in place of the X-1193 monitor where colour display is not required **\$249.00**



Basic CAT™
Computer only
\$699

An equivalent expanded
Apple IIe would cost you over
\$2400

YOU SAVE OVER
\$1700

*Please call in or write for our comprehensive list of compatible Apple II software.